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In Re Application of: Tsuguo SATOH et al.

GAU: 2874

Serial No: 10/602,664

Examiner: Daniel J. Petkovsek

Filed: June 25, 2003

For: FERRULE HEATING APPARATUS AND METHOD OF ADHERING FERRULE AND OPTICAL FIBER

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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- ☐ This application qualifies for small entity status. 37 C.F.R. §1.27.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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**AMENDMENT**

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This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed June 29, 2005.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.